We claim:

- 1. In a system for automatically extending stabilizer legs of a vehicle to support the vehicle in a specific orientation, the improvement wherein the system includes controls for elevating the platform while maintaining the platform in the specific orientation.
- 2. The improvement of claim 1, wherein the specific orientation is a level orientation.
- 3. The improvement of claim 1, wherein the system further comprises controls for automatically lowering the platform while maintaining the platform in the specific orientation.
- 4. The improvement of claim 3, wherein the specific orientation is a level orientation of the platform.